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THE 'FUN FESTIVAL'

UNUSUAL EVENT FOR C. C. MEMBERS VOTED A "CORKER"

HYDE'S GREAT SPEECH

Address by Trenton Lawyer Was Big Feature of the Evening—Gridiron Club Stunts Created a Stir

The "Fun Festival" event of the Commercial Club last night at the Elks was not all fun. The wonderful and brilliant address of A. M. Hyde of Trenton, which was brought to a fitting climax when more than one hundred men, enthused with patriotism, pledging themselves anew to exert every effort possible to help win the war, and singing with fervor "The Star Spangled Banner," will long be remembered by the business men of Maryville. With fun, oratory, music and good cheer and a satisfying luncheon the event was one of the most interesting and successful the Commercial Club has ever given and despite the fact that the program was ended long before eleven o'clock, it was midnight before the last of the members and guests had left.

Hun Horrors Vividly Portrayed.

A more polished speaker or brilliant orator that Mr. Hyde it is seldom Maryville's privilege to hear and his address was easily the big feature of the evening. "We dare not lose this war" might well have prefaced his address and its title, so vividly did he portray the German war of autocracy and its awful horrors and the determination of the butchering Hun to rule by might of conquest. A real master of the art of oratory and eloquence, Mr. Hyde portrayed a picture that will long remain with those who heard it and his earnest plea for a higher patriotism and an unrelenting devotion to duty met long and continued applause. Mr. Hyde has consented to return to Maryville and will speak at a union Sunday evening service on February 10. The request came from the business men present who desired that a larger audience might hear a similar address by Mr. Hyde.

J. P. Somerville of Kansas City gave an interesting address, dealing largely with the value of insurance both for the individual and for the corporation. War insurance for soldiers was also urged by the speaker and a large amount of information on this subject, together with a patriotic appeal for a fuller service made Mr. Somerville's address unusually timely and interesting.

The "Grouches" Got Busy.

The "fun festival" started when Dr. F. R. Anthony began spilling the beans in a Gridiron Club stunt. After making a report showing that the Nodaway county chapter of the Red Cross was doing a larger amount of work in proportion than the Kansas City chapter, population and workers considered, Dr. Anthony began to air a grouch that the members and directors of the Commercial Club were not giving support to the Red Cross, taking them severely to task for their apparent negligence.

His tirade quickly took possession of the angora of P. O. Landon, who declared it was no time to start family quarrels with company present and that the matter be left to a committee. Dr. Anthony was not to be so easily stopped, however, and completed his case.

J. F. Hull didn't know what Dr. Anthony was sore about and wanted to make a motion that a vote of confidence be given the directors of the club just to show the doctor that they were all right.

It looked like the thing was getting pretty serious and the members began fidgeting about in their chairs in anticipation of something real exciting when Paul Sisson suggested that "we have some music and start all over again."

But C. C. Hellmers, who had been carefully concealing a sore spot, projected himself into the conversation with severe censure of the directors of the club for allowing the secretary to participate as much as they had in Red Cross and other war activities. Blank amazement and surprise at the temerity of members in taking such an occasion to mess things up was shown by everybody not "in on the deal," and the stunt might have gone on indefinitely had not President C. W. Yehle and Secretary E. M. Claypool given the thing away by suppressed laughter. When the cat was out of the bag it took a long time to restore order, but the fun it occasioned was voted worth the while even if there wre some who were ready to get good and mad.

Why Not Have 'em Oftener?

During the short business session Ed Curfmand said that Nodaway county should begin to realize the importance of getting ready for better roads, expressing the opinion that a movement should be started to see that this county be in line for good roads connections with highways that will ultimately lead to the big market centers.

Geo. Robb Ellison spoke on the need for a better support of the government in the purchase of war savings stamps and urged aid of the business men in seeing that Polk township's quota of $75,000 was subscribed during thrift week.

A quartette composed of H. J. Becker, W. J. Osburn, Marcus T. Nielsen and E. M. Claypool sang several popular numbers and Verne Alderman entertained with original topical songs and a monologue that met with hearty applause.

A war rations luncheon was served at the conclusion of the program, the members of the club expressing the desire that such events might be of more frequent occurrence.

WILL GIVE A PLAY.

The Harmony High School will give a play entitled, "Back to the Country Store," Friday Night. Admission 25 cents.

THE BIG

Social Dance

of the Season

THURSDAY NIGHT, JAN. 31

at the W. O. W. HALL.

Everybody invited to attend by order of W. O. W .Social Committee.

FUNERAL OF MRS. PISTOLE

Services Will Be Held This Afternoon at the Home of Her Daughter, East of Pickering

Funeral services for Mrs. Amanda Pistole, who died at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Maxon, east of Pickering, will be held at 1 o'clock this afternoon at the Pickering Christian church, conducted by the Rev. J. C. Allsup. Burial will be in the White Oak cemetery.

Mrs. Pistole was 83 years old and has spent the greater part of her life in Nodaway county. She is survived by four children. They are: Mrs. Frank Maxon, C. O. Pistole, Henry Pistole and Stephen Pistole.

K. OF C. START WAR CAMP FUND

Campaign Will Begin In Maryville Next Sunday With Dedication of Service Flag at K. of C. Hall

The illustrated lecture of the Knights of Columbus last Sunday at Conception for the benefit of the war camp fund was well attended in spite of the cold and inclement weather. Rudolph Schappler, secretary of the Knights of Columbus at Jefferson Barracks, made an address. Talks and addresses were made by Rev. Father Stephens, Father Placidus and Father Joachim of Conception and Father Frowin of Clyde.

Some interesting pictures of the Red Cross and their work in the war was shown, as was also the pictures taken by Ralph Marcell of the Nodaway county boys leaving Maryville for Camp Funston.

A War Camp Fund which is being made in Jefferson township will continue during the week. A similar campaign will begin in Maryville next Sunday and will be opened by the dedication of a service flag in the Knights of Columbus hall.

A donation of $60 was made at the meeting Sunday by the pupils of the St. Mary's school, which is better known as the Wildcat school. The money was raised by a box supper given by the pupils and teacher.

Return From Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Mary A. Phares and Will F. Phares have returned from Washington, D. C., where they went to visit Kyle Phares, who is in the Camp American University.

Mrs. C. A. Lawler, who has been visiting with relatives in Hopkins for several days, will return to her home in Maryville tonight.

TEAMS AID IN DRIVE

SOLICITORS BEGIN WORK IN WAR STAMP CAMPAIGN

REPORT GOOD PROGRESS

Telephone Subscriptions Reported by Women's Committee Reach Several Hundred Dollars—Active at H. S.

The second day's drive of the war savings campaign committee yesterday resulted in a notable increase in the number of war savings certificates and thrift stamps sold and with soliciting teams at work throughout the business section a fair start is being made on securing the quota of $75,000 to be raised this week.

This morning the following teams started work:

Ed Gray and Fred Wolfers.

Geo. Robb Ellison and Arch K. Frank.

H. L. Raines and G. B. Roseberry.

Neil Somerville and Roy Curfman.

Chas. D. Bellows and Lawrence Ogden.

Bert Cooper and Hosie Holmes.

P. O. Landon and F. S. King.

The women are still asking subscriptions over the telephone, calling persons whose names have been furnished by the committee. Sales by the women have been reported of several hundred dollars.

At the High School a big thermometer has been erected and progress of sales is recorded at intervals. It is believed sales by the High School committee, of which Chas. Bellows, Jr., is chairman, will go considerably over a thousand dollars.

The soliciting teams have listed prospects who will be urged to purchase the limit, $1,000. When these have been thoroughly canvassed $500 will be pushed.

Further enthusiasm was added to the campaign by the patriotic addres last night before the members of the Commercial Club by A. M. Hyde of Trenton, who made a severe arraignment of those who neglected their obvious duty to the government at this critical time.

FINE SHORTHORN TO CANADA

Bellows Bros. Furnish Animal for Agricultural College at Edmonton

With the purchase yesterday of a pure bred Shorthorn bull from the Bellows Bros. herd of fine Shorthorn, Nodaway county will be represented at the Agricultural College at Edmonton, Canada, in the development of the live stock interests of Alberta province.

The purchase was made by Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of Agriculture for the Dominion of Canada following his recent visit to Maryville when he visited a number of the best known herds in this section. The animal, a five months old bull calf, will be herd bull at the Canadian college and was sired by Sultan Supreme and is half brother to Grand Champion Village Supreme.

THESE ALSO GOT HELMETS

Twenty-two Others at Camp Funston Send Letter of Thanks to Red Cross Society

The Democrat-Forum is in receipt of the following letter signed by twenty-two men at Camp Funston who received sweaters sent by the Nodaway Red Cross chapter

Camp Funston, Kan., Jan. 28, 1918.

To The Democrat-Forum,
Maryville, Mo.

We, the undersigned soldiers of Company B, 356th Infantry ,received helmets from the Red Cross Society of Maryville, Mo., and wish to extend our thanks for the same.

Gay Gross	Frank Elliot
Dean Barr	Jas. H .Hughes
L. Swearingen	John Broyles
Ira McCullam	D. C. Carmichael
Mike Gaa	Carl Kennedy
James Meek	Alvin Robinson
J. H. Bannister	Roy Teany
Frank McKee	Ruben Hall
H .Bledsoe	Carl Dunn
W. L. Bagley	Alvin Dunn
Jesse Tanner	Sgt. C. W. Cornell

Here From Denver.

Mrs. Anna Hodgeson of Denver, arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit at the home of Theodore Blatter.

Mrs. Cummins Ill.

Mrs. T. A. Cummins was taken suddenly ill this morning at her home on East Fourth street. Her condition is improved this afternoon.

A. D. Saunders and Joseph B. Saunders went to Kansas City yesterday on business.

ELEVEN MEN ARE ACCEPTED

Nearly One-third of Registrants Examined Yesterday Pass Physical Requirements

Wednesday's physical examinations of registered men in Class I resulted in eleven being passed out of thirty-seven examined. That is the highest ration in proportion to the number of men examined yet made in the draft. The examinations will continue all week until all the men notified have appeared.

The following registrants were examined yesterday:

James Airy Eller, Maryville, rejected; hammer toes.

Oren Barr, Clearmont, rejected; withered leg.

Elmer Curtis Bagby, Maryville, rejected; aostis stenosis.

Clarence E. Cook, Skidmore, rejected; hernia.

Charles Smith, Bedison, accepted for limited service.

Frederick Anselm Messbarger, Ravenwood, accepted.

Jacob W. Fletchall, Parnell, rejected; heart and vision.

Harley Harrison Damewood, Braddyville, rejected; aortic requrgstation.

Harlan Robert Pury, Elmo, rejected; poor vision.

Harvey Nally, Sheridan, rejected; aortic stenosis.

Jimmie E. Thrasher, Barnard, rejected; vision, hernia.

Elza Vanflosson, Elmo, accepted.

Baldwin H. Boyer, Graham, accepted for limited service.

Loren Paxton, Parnell, rejected; poor vision.

Ory Dwight Adkins, Waterloo, Ia., rejected; broken bone of foot.

Karl Raymond Malotte, Maryville, rejected; organic heart disease.

Paul William Kuchs, Maryville, rejected; flat feet.

Adolph Cox, Parnell, accepted.

Francis Earl Bluell, Maryville, rejected; irregularity of heart.

Herman Washington Wiles, Graham, rejected; injured knee.

Rufus Hulbert Lawson, Ravenwood, accepted.

Claud F. Pruitt, Clearmont, rejected; poor vision.

Fenmore Conrad Maffitt, Barnard, rejected; bad foot, ankle and teeth.

Fred Douglas Bellows, Maryville, rejected; chronic endocandetis.

Fred Neuffer, Skidmore, accepted.

Fred F. Smith, Skidmore, accepted.

Clarence Edward Warren, Maryville, accepted.

Jesse A. Wright, Guilford, rejected; bad in left eye.

George William Arnold, Parnell, accepted.

William Henry Mitchell, Conception Junction, accepted.

Lyman Page Hull, Elmo, rejected; deaf and dumb.

Clarence Franklin Faddis, Conception Junction, rejected; hernia.

Roscoe Roswell Heifner, Maryville, rejected; short leg, flat feet.

Presby Elmer Bailey, Elmo, accepted.

Roland Monroe Pruitt, Elmo, accepted.

Clarence Jefferson Hamilton, Elmo, rejected; hernia.

Francis M. Johnston, Quitman, rejected; hernia.

WILL INVITE MR. HYDE HERE

Trenton Orator to be Guest of Ministers on February 10 and Will Address Union Meeting

At a meeting of the Ministerial Alliance this morning the pastors decided to extend an invitation to A. M. Hyde, of Trenton to address a union Sunday evening service on the night of February 10. The decision was a result of the remarkable address delivered before the members of the Commercial Club last night and which it was desired might be heard by as many Maryville people as possible.

At a meeting of the Alliance on Monday new officers were elected for the coming year and Rev. S. A. Coile was chosen president and R. C. Holliday, secretary. Plans were also discussed at the meeting to provide all arrangements for the union service which will continue until the middle of March.

CHAS. WILFONG IS PAROLED

Neighbors and Friends Petitios Court for Release of Graham Man

Chas. Wilfong, convicted by a jury in circuit court last week of assault, and given a fine of $40 and costs, was paroled by Judge Dawson this morning when neighbors and friends of the family at Graham intedceded for him. It was brought to the attention of the court that Wilfong was badly needed at home to care for his family, who are in straightened circumstances on account of sickness.

MAKE PLAY OF WORK

ACTIVITY HOUR IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS ADDS INTEREST

STORY HOUR AND GAMES

Literary Societies Present Programs in Assembly — Folk Dancing and Supervised Play Features

The need has been felt for a long time in the public schools of Maryville, according to Supt. J. M. McDonald, for a better physical development of the boys and girls, and it has also been the belief that attending school might be made more pleasant and enjoyable for the young people by trying to teach them through channels which would not require the study of a text book. An attempt to meet these conditions has resulted in an "Activity Hour."

The regular work of the grade school has been so altered and condensed that it has been possible to complete it at 3:20 o'clock instead of 4 o'clock, and the forty minutes thus saved are now devoted to the following activities:

Calisthenics (or gymnastic exercise).

Folk dancing.

Supervised play.

Story hour and games.

Club and assembly.

Electric Lantern.

Every grade school pupil at the Washington school I sengaged in a different activity each afternoon of the week, or five different activities each week. Every boy and girl takes the calisthenics. The girls of the upper grades have folk dancing. All the boys and the lower grade girls have supervised play.

In this activity they not only learn new games, but are taught the rules of the games and right ideals of true sportsmanship under a teacher s instruction. The story hour and games are for the lower grade people. In this they learn to stand before their classmates and speak off-hand about something they know. Each Tuesday afternoon all the grade children meet in the high school assembly and the literary program is furnished by the different rooms in regular order. A part of this same hour is used by each teacher in her own room with her pupils in club work.

A literary society is organized and programs are prepared for the day when that room offers the assembly program. The rudiments of parliamentary practice are taught so that the pupils may be able to conduct themselves in any sort of group meeting. The electric projecting lantern which the board recently added to the equipment at considerable cost is used in two ways: Both class room work for instruction in certain lessons, and in the shape of educational features and entertainment in the assembly room. This feature is augmented by the use of 100 new slides which the school gets each week.

A SPINSTERS CONVENTION

Coming Attraction by Ladies of the Christian Church Should Prove Interesting Entertainment

The Spinsters Convention announced b ythe ladies of the Christian church for next Monday night at the Empire Theatre should prove one of the best amateur shows of the season. The "Peabody Pew" and the "Old Photograph Album," by these ladies, gave evidence of their versatility. As a novelty the Spinsters Convention will be all that and more and dress reform, women's rights and other topics will have full and free discussion during the convention, while Prof. Makeover finds some difficulty in making over some of the Spinsters.

In the cast are the following characters: Josephine Jane Green, president of the Young Ladies' Single Blessedness Debating Society.

Priscilla Abigail Hodge, secretary.

Calamity Jane Higgins, who wears artistic dress.

Tiny Short, a very tall lady; Mary Ann Fraddler, Jerusha Matilda Spriggins, Patience Desire Mann, Sophia Stickup; Juliet Long, a very tall lady; Betsy Bobbitt, Charity Longface, Cleopatra Belle Brown, Polly Jane Pratt, Violet Ann Ruggles, Belinda Bluegrass, dress uniform advocate; Francis Touchmenot; Hanna Biggerstaff, candidates; Prof. Makeover and his assistant.

Mrs. John Adams and son, Glenn of Wilcox were in Maryville yesterday.

STRIKES HALT WAR WORK

The German Government Is Reported to be Alarmed Over the Industrial Unrest of Workers

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Amsterdam, Jan. 30.—Industrial political unrest throughout Germany is causing the imperial government alarm. Two hundred thousand workers, including many women, struck in factories engaged in war work. The production of munitions and airplanes is hampered. Many leaders have been arrested and others have been warned.

Copenhagen, Jan. 30. — Separate peace negotiations between Rumania and the Central powers are reported opened. Rumania agreed to return Dobrudja to Bulgaria if allowed to anne Bessarabia. The cabinet is reported to have resigned.

CHARGES WIFE DESERTION

Leo Lester Dale Asks Separation from Wife, Veda Dale—Asks Custody of Young Son

Leo Lester Dale has brought suit for divorce from his wife, Veda Mary Dale and in the petition filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court this morning alleges desertion and association with men of questionable character. The Dales were married in March, 1913 and have one son, Richard Wilton Dale, for whom the father asks custody.

Suit was filed by C. J. and Rola Rees against E. R. Owens on claim for mechanics lien.

THE SHOWDOWN POSTPONED

Test Between President Wilson and Congress Will Go Over Until Next Week

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The showdown between the president and congress over the conduct of the war has been postponed till after the army investigation, possibly next week. Charges that the war cabinet bill slipping through the senate military committee through misunderstanding is denied by supporters. Senator Chamberlain will ask for a vote by the committee.

CENTRALS WON FROM TARKIO

Warrenton Bunch Fail to Play Same Kind of Game They Played the Normals Monday Night

The Central Wesleyan team of Warrenton won from Tarkio last night at the latter place, the score being 38-30. The Centrals did not play the game they played with the Normals on Monday night on the local court and had poor luck shooting goals.

The game at the end of the first half was 19-14 in favor of Tarkio and at the end of the second half the Wesleyans beat their opponents 24-11. A number of Maryville people went over to Tarkio to witness the game.

NOT ENOUGH TAGS TO GO ROUND

Only Washington School Children Will be Able to Take Part in Campaign

Less than half enough tags were sent to the Maryville schools for use in the "Tag Your Shovel Day" program today.

It was decided to allow the grade school children at the Washington school to distribute the ones sent. They will be dismissed early for this purpose. Each teacher will take time from the regular classes to explain to the pupils the meaning of the Tag Your Shovel campaign and show them how they can help the government in the conservation of coal.

Dr. W. M. Wallis a Captain.

Dr. Will Wallis Jr., received today from the War Department a commission as captain in the Medical Reserve Corps. Dr. Wallis took the examination in November at Omaha. He will await orders to report for duty.

Senator Hughes Is Dead.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 30. — Senator William J. Hughes died today after an illness of several months. Senator Hughes is the fifth senator to die within a year. The senate adjourned this afternoon after appointing a committee to attend the funeral.

SWEDEN IS TO AID

FINNISH GOVERNMENT HAS APPEALED FOR INTERVENTION

TROOPS ARE ON FRONTIER

Reports Show That Finland Is In a Frightful State and In Danger of Revolutionary Outbreaks

London, Jan. 30.—The intervention in Finland by the Swedish government to protect Swedish lives and interests are being considered, according to advices from Stockholm. The Germans have already massed a considerable number of troops on the frontier, but there has been no confirmation of a battle having been fought.

Copenhagen, Jan. 30. — A Finnish deputation has arrived at Stockholm to ask armed intervention in Finland, says Gotheburg dispatches.

Stockholm, Jan. 30. — According to private information from Helsingfors, the Finnish government has been overthrown by the Maximalists. The Swedish charge d'affaires has arrived in Haparanda, accompanied by Governor Vasaseikel, who was sent by the government before the coup d'etat to apply for help from Sweden. A delegation from the Aland Islands, headed by Burgomaster Mariehamn, has arrived in Stockholm to apply for the return of the Aland Islands to Sweden. All reports show that Finland is in a frightful state, the people are suffering the greatest hardships and are in constant danger of anarchistic revolutionary outbreaks.

HUNS IN SECOND AIR RAID

Three Killed and Ten Injured In Battle at Scarpe River — Fifteen Machines Took Part

London, Jan. 30.—Th esecond air attack by the Germans within twenty-four hours began near midnight. The machines were first sighted over Kent, Essex, about ten o'clock last night. The people were prepared and there was no excitement.

Heavy aerial fighting along the British front in which eight German and three British plane swere lost, has been reported south of the Scarpe river. The German raid on the British was repulsed and a aBritish attack near Harvincourt resulted in some prisoners being taken. Others patrolling the Bellecourt sector captured a machine gun.

Three persons were killed and ten injured, says the official statement, and others, it is feared, are in the wreckage. Fifteen German machines participated in the air battle.

A Victory Bread Order.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Jan. 30. — Bakers will not be permitted to advertise Victory bread until they use the full twenty per cent of cereals to eighty per cent of wheat, food dictator, Hoover, announces today. Beginning February 3, all bakers must use five per cent cereals and increase the proportion slowly.

Suffrage Drive Must Wait.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The suffrage drive in the senate will be postponed until summer. Senator Jones of New Mexico decided on this course for the reason that there was a strong sentiment that only war legislation should be considered at this time. It is also announced that the federal amendment may be voted down.

Floods On Upper Ohio River.

Cincinnati, Jan. 30.—Reports indicate no abatement of the flood in the upper Ohio. Scores of small barges and vessels were destroyed and fifty small steamers were menaced.

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* THE WEATHER *

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Unsettled tonight, Thursday probably and colder. Continued cold for several days.

Feature Tonight

Empire Theatre

Show begins at 7:30

17 and 28 cents.

Super Feature, with

RUTH CLIFFORD

in the supreme triumph

Mother o' Mine

One of the most beautiful photoplays ever presented.

A pictorial tribute to motherhood.

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SENATOR CHAMBERLAIN'S DEFENSE.

We are unable to see in Senator Chamberlain's speech sufficient justification for the utterance in New York to which the president objected. Nor can we see that he has made a case of serious inefficiency against the administration. Honest and sincere as we believe him to be, we cannot avoid the conclusion that in his earnest desire for perfection he has magnified defects that are for the most part relatively unimportant and that are inseparable in some form from an undertaking of such magnitude. No man, and no set of men, could organize out of raw material a supremely great army, organize it with a rush, and acquire all the equipment necessary for its maintenance and use, without mistakes, without errors of commission and of omission, or without just causes of complaint. The creation of such an army is an enterprise new to us. The miniature nucleus was soon lost in the vastness of the structure. Thousands upon thousands of men were suddenly drawn from civil life to unaccustomed duties, and many thousands necessarily clothed with authority to direct unfamiliar activities. Supplies had to be manufactured and shipped in quantities heretofore undreamed of and for which sufficient instruments of manufacture did not exist. To expect such an enormous and complicated machine could be constructed without a certain amount of confusion, without considerable lost motion, without misfits here and there, without some creaking of joints and groaning of bearings is to expect the impossible.

We sympathize profoundly with those who have suffered from the initial crudities of military organization, and we condemn the causes of their suffering, but we realize fully that errors are inevitable in such an undertaking whatever the capacity of the men in charge of it. The people of this country want an army raised to fight, and it will be judged by its fighting qualities. They want the men of the army provided with every practicable comfort. They want everything done that can be done for their welfare, and they will not be patient with any continued remissness in this respect. But they know the difficulties of the starting and they know that some inconvenience, some discomfort, some suffering and some more or less serious mistakes are unavoidable. These things they will bear, but they will insist that nothing be lacking when our army goes up to the firing line. Then will come the real test of the administration's efficiency.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

GARDENS FOR MARYVILLE.

The campaign for increasing the number of gardens in Maryville for the coming garden season should be begun now, for it will be of the greatest importance that every available plot of ground in the city be utilized this summer in producing vegetables for home consumption. The campaign for gardens should be taken over by some civic organization and every effort should be made to place every vacant lot in the city under cultivation for the coming summer.

This is the time of the year for a survey of vacant lots to be made. All vacant lots should be listed and the ground should be examined by some one of experience. Then volunteer gardeners should be solicited to care for these lots. The boys of the city could find profitable occupation during the spring and summer months in caring for these gardens. Their work, however, should be supervised so that the maximum of products may be secured. There ought to be a garden in the backyard of every home in the city.

Not only should every piece of available ground be used for gardens this year, but all surplus vegetables grown in these gardens should be canned so that the food of a less perishable nature may be sent to the armies at the front. The city should plow free of charge all the vacant lot gardens as a stimulus to the garden campaign. Many people are willing to plant and care for a garden who would not be willing to bear the expense of having the ground prepared. A committee of interested persons should be named immediately to begin the work of making a survey preparatory to starting the real campaign.

Critics to the Front.

It taxes the patience to read the underhand complaints of the government for not having made preparations for the war long before it began. An absolute government or a despotism might have done it; but a republic never. None of the great war measures could have preceded a declaration of war and none knows it better than some of the men who are continually adverting to unpreparedness to discredit the administration. The country was not ready for a great army. It indulged the hope that none would be needed up to the time when Germany declared its U-boat policy, and then no time was lost in convening congress to deal with the situation. The president could not declare war. It was the congress that had the power and the congress that exercised it.

No time had been lost, no endeavor spared to make ready since the fateful April day when the congress responded to the request of the chief executive. If ever great things were speedily brought to pass, certainly none of more stupendous proportions than those already accomplished can be sohwn in comparison.

Look now. Millions of men out of the fields, shops and trades, and answering to the muster roll every morning. Billions of dollars to pay expenses already raised and other billions in process of collection. Guns are coming forth from the factories like the grists from the mills, and every soldier has an overcoat and full rations of provisions. New ships by the hundreds are in process of construction and old ships are hurrying the equipped soldiers to the battlefields, and freight ships follow filled with supplies. We are compassing land and water and air and the whole country is aroused for the conflict and yet some months are lacking to the year of preparation. When we reflect that the clamor comes from the plu-perfect patriots, impatience turns to contempt and the wish evolves that they might have been induced in the outset to cool their ardor in the front line trenches.

Even now, if the way be not impracticable, the presence of the critical patriots near no man's land would be comfortable to think about and a consummation most devoutly to be wished —Jackson Examiner.

Expected Home Tonight.

Mrs. W. C. Pierce and Mrs. Ed Signs are expected home tonight from South Pasadena, Cal., where they went several weeks ago to attend the funeral services of their sister, Mrs. A. G. C. Collins, who died Friday, Jan. 4.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

PIMPLY? WELL, DON'T BE!

People Notice It. Drive Them Off with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

Cleanse the blood, the bowels and the liver with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the successful substitute for calomel; there's never any sickness or pain after taking them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do that which calomel does, and just as effectively, but their action is gentle and safe instead of severe and irritating.

No one who takes Olive Tablets is ever cursed with "a dark brown taste," a bad breath, a dull, listless, "no good" feeling, constipation, torpid liver, bad disposition or pimply face.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color.

Dr. Edwards spent years among patients afflicted with liver and bowel complaints, and Olive Tablets are the immensely effective result.

Take one or two nightly for a week. See how much better you feel and look. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

TO-DAY

Editorial Notes by Arthur Brisbane

Private ownership of public monopolies is dying, thanks to this war.

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The Labor party of England issues a manifesto, as though the working people really amounted to something and had something to say.

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You can forgive the army mule driver who says the mule can be controlled only by brutality, but what about parents who say the same of their children—and beat them? Beating a child is breaking the mainspring of a watch.

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"Karlsruhe bombed by British airmen."

That is the right news. If dynamite had been dropping from the air indiscriminately all over Germany during the last three years there would be more German interest in peace.

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The whiskey dealer that makes drunkards, the gambler, worse than the whiskey seller, and the weakness, meanness and selfishness in human nature—worse than anything outside of human nature—all these things Billy Sunday attacks. And he does the work well.

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May Americans soon get to work about that dear Fatherland with ten thousand dynamite - dropping machines as a starter, and then another and another ten thousand.

THAT is what the Germans need to help them make up their minds concerning reasonable peace or indefinite murder.

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If you STEAL on a small scale it is robbery.

If you steal on a big scale it is finance.

If you KILL on a small scale it's murder.

If you kill on a big scale it's successful revolution and divinely foreordained war.

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Only one thing is certain: It pays to be careful.

Even in these blessed, conservative well-financed, money-and-tradition-respecting United States we have our little surprises. The farmer, ridiculed a little while ago as a "sockless" gentleman, now is regulating the price of his wheat and is actually receiving attention.

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Wouldn't it be a good idea to do away with poisonous whiskey, gin and brandy, and abandon the impossible demands of fanaticism and impossible TOTAL prohibition?

Permit the sane, temperate use of light wine and light beer that do not cause drunkenness used in Europe for thousands of years without injury.

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At last comes the big change that the world has waited for ever since it has been the custom to teach all human beings to read and write.

Soon, thanks to this war and to the noble war carried on for years, by such women as Susan B. Anthony, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Dr. Anna Shaw and others, the MOTHERS of the world are to have something to say about the MANAGEMENT of the world.

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The million American women whose sons must go to France will become politically articulate they will be able to TALK through their vote.

Public men understand no other kind of talking.

Woman suffrage will wipe out a thousand kinds of stupid injustices.

The whole proposition can be boiled down to this:

THE MORAL HALF OF THE HUMAN RACE IS TO HAVE A SHARE IN GOVERNMENT.

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Our learned friend, Byars, says: "Dante's hell was mostly politics." So it was, and the same is true of the modern condition.

BUT—for some reason the hell that is mostly politics and the politics that is mostly hell fascinate human beings. A thousand men pick up the Divine Comedy, with Dante's purgatory, hell and paradise. Nine out of ten glance through purgatory, read all of hell, skip paradise entirely.

There is something in hell—whether in the imagination of a poet or the real world of politics that holds us—which shows wher ewe are on the ladder of civilization.

Miss Darling's Patriotic Costume Startles the Funston Chappies

Camp Funston, Jan. 30.—A diminutive auburn haired Miss walked into the Gillett Hotel at Manhattan, the rapidly growing colony of soldiers' womenfolk near here, yesterday. Of striking beauty, her garb was New Yorkese to the minute, and she carried a chic swagger stick with a practiced air. It was neither her beauty, style or the stick that brought forth "Ohs" and "Ahs" as she tripped across the lobby, however. The reasons, two of them, were a pair of trim le-, ahem, ankles smartly wrapped in regulation soldier's spiral rool puttees.

The languid eyed beauties lounging in easy chairs, cast one glance, showed immediate signs of animation and departed in the direction of an army outfitters. Today six maids have appeared in the new style and it is predicted that by tomorrow the rush will completely deplete the local puttee market. The maid, whose fad has attracted so much attention is Miss Glen Darling of Chicago, who introduced it for the first time in the East, and has now shown it to the Middle West, creating, it is said one of the most distinctive military styles of the season.

Miss Darling's appearance at Funston was due to unusual patriotic motives. In the cast of a big Chicago musical production, she was understudy to one of its stars, with every prospect of a quick jump to stardom herself. Her salary was large, every comfort of a big city was hers, but, as she explains it, she felt that she must do her bit to help in these times of war. Her ability was centered in her agile feet and pleasing personality, and in order to apply her talents where they might aid the soldier's cause, she resigned her position in the East and joined the carnival, a company formed to come to the camp for the amusement of the boys who are training for the trenches.

Forum-ettes

To most of us it looks as though they were trying to fight the war out in Washington instead of in Europe.

Wouldn't it help some to revive the old song, "There'll be a Hot Time In the Old Town Tonight?"

There are a good many people talking about "doing their bit," but when we go into a restaurant and the proprietor urges us by mouth and placard to save his stuff and thereby serve the government and then serves us about half as much as he used to and charges about 25 per cent more profit than he used to, we begin to feel that we were his bit.

If people really believed in hell, this would be a Christian world.

Most fellows put "Safety First" on the front of their cars and then forget all about it until it gets battered up when they run into something.

You can always tell whether a man really loves his wife or not by the expression on his face when he talks to her over the telephone.

A girl who has been engaged for three years looks about as worn out as a woman who has been married for ten.

If the Chinese get into the war it will never end. Who could ever understand a Chinaman when he yelled "enough"?

In China they kill the editor and burn his place when he makes an erroneous death announcement. It's a little severe, but the punishment is such that the habit of making mistakes never grows on the Chinese editor.

Graham M. E. Church Notes.

Services Sunday, Feb. 3, as follows.

Graham—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m.

Mt. Zion—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 3 p. m.

Rockford—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m.

We cordially invite the public to these services.

E. W. CROY, Pastor.

Hold Up Wheat Flour Order.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Columbia, Mo., Jan. 30. — Due to freight congestion in the state, the new food regulation governing the sale of wheat flour will not go into effect in Missouri until Feb. 15, fifteen days after its enforcement in most states according to State Food Administrator F. B. Mumford.

Marriage Licenses.

The following have been issued marriage licenses: Austin McQuinn, of Conception and Mary Farnan, of Clyde

WORK FOR JUNIORS

RED CROSS ACTIVITIES IN THE SCHOOLS OF STATE

CONSOLIDATION IS URGED

Advisory Committee Suggests That All Relief Work Be Vitalized for Benefit of the Pupils

Following resolutions adopted by the advisory committee of the Junior Red Cross of the southwestern division at St. Louis last Saturday, it is expected that the young people of the schools of the state will take up the work on a larger scale and that there will be increased activities in all war work.

At the conference at St. Louis, which was attended by President Richardson of the Normal, the following resolutions were adopted:

1. That we urge the various boards of education, state, county and city, in this division, to recognize the Junior Red Cross as the one official organization for war relief activities in our schools, and as such to accord it a recognized place as one of the proper official activities in our schools.

2. That we respectfully request the governors of the five states in the Southwestern Division to make official proclamations, if they have not already done so, recognizing the Junior Red Cross as an important element in the work of the schools of these states and calling special attention to the Junior Red Cross drive from February 14 to 22.

3. That we request the department of superintendance of the National Educational Association, at its approaching meeting at Atlantic City, to recognize the importance of the Junior Red Cross, not merely as an agency of relief work in our nation's present crisis, but also as a means of vitalizing the work of our schools as a whole.

4. That we request our United States bureau of Education, through its department of work for community centers, to give all possible help to the work of the Junior Red Cross.

5. That we respectfully and urgently request the American Red Cross organization to accord to the Junior Red Cross members the same recognition which is given to adult members of the Red Cross.

6. That we express our belief that all war activities in the schools, including such matters as food conservation and the sale of Liberty bonds, tarift stamps, etc., should be consolidated with Junior Red Cross work to the end that the needless confusion of separate campaigns in the schools may be eliminated.

7. Resolved, that in our judgment, the policy of the Red Cross should be sufficiently broad to recognize any form of service which the children may render toward the winning of the war, including the production of food and the conservation of resources.

Turn Cash Into Gunfire.

Says Frank A. Vanderlip, well known New York banker:

We fought and won the Spanish war with 150,000 soldiers and a $200,000,000 bond issue. In men now under arms we have ten times that number. We issued ten times that amount of bonds in the first Liberty loan. We are proposing to spend and loan to the Allies in the first fiscal year of the war $19,000,000,000. From now until the end of this fiscal year the treasury anticipates needing $300,000,000 a week—that is, the treasury has got to fight financially a Spanish war every four days. That indicates a money measure of the size of this work, but that is not the real measure. We have just seen that one might have plenty of money, but an empty coal bin. In just the same way the government can have plenty of money, but an unequipped army. This army cannot be equipped as modern warfare demands if the man power of the country is at the same time called upon to produce all of our ordinary comforts and luxuries. It is as plain as two and two that all of us must make personal sacrifices, must give up comforts and luxuries, even necessary expenditures that can be postponed, if there is to be labor and material enough to equip the army in time for it to fight while it will do some good to have it fight.

In war the only effort that is of any value is that which is ultimately translated into gun fire on the field of battle. The gun fire that will win this war cannot be delivered until all America recognizes individual responsibility, until the whole people join in the effort by giving up things they can do without, so that the labor that would have been employed in making those things can do work that will ultimately result in gun fire. The government has offered the opportunity to translate at once every one's personal patriotism into the sort of help that will win the war. Forego buying something that is unnecessary; loan the money you would have used to the government by buying $5 war savings certificates. You will thus have released labor, you will have given credit to the government, you will have acquired the best security in the world, a United States government bond.

KEEP UP THE ROADS

GOVERNMENT URGES UP-KEEP OF THOSE ALREADY BUILT

NEEDED FOR TRAFFIC

Secretary of Agriculture Houston Sets Forth Policy That Should be Followed During the War

Washington, Jan. 30. — Secretary Houston of the department of agriculture, in a communication to the American Association of State Highway Officials, has set forth squarely the policy which he thinks should be followed in highway construction during the war. Secretary Houston says:

"So far as it is practicable to do so this department will urge the maintenance of the highways already constructed; the construction and completion of those highways which are vitally important because of their bearing upon the war situation or for the movement of commodities; the postponement of all highway construction relatively less essential or not based upon important military or economic needs. The department is preparing to suggest to the state highway departments the preparation of a schedule of work for the federal aid projects for 1918 in line with this policy."

In carrying out the policy thus announced there has been sent out by the Office of Public Roads of the department of agriculture, schedule forms on which the states are requested to set forth their proposed federal aid work for the 1918 working season. These schedules call for a description of each road, the character, quantity and rail haul of the materials to be used, the probable cost, the amount of federal funds desired, the specific purpose of the improvement, its bearing upon the war situation, and what effect a delay of the work until 1919 or later would have. With the information thus assembled and classified an efficient road construction program is assured. While it is impossible to make any definite statement regarding the transportation of road materials, the expectations are that the transportation situation will be improved and that the shipment of such materials for essential projects can be made.

Road construction and maintenance in the United States involve an annual expenditure of some $300,000,000 and there is scarcely a section of the country that is not seriously affected by a marked disturbance in road work.

RAILROAD TAXES THE SAME

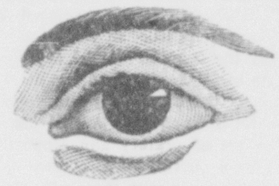
Director McAdoo Informs Governor Gardner That Past System of Taxation Will Continue to Apply

Jefferson City, Jan. 30.—The normal taxation of railroads by the state authorities shall continue as in the past, Railway Director McAdoo informed Governor Gardner in a letter. His communication follows:

"The theory under which the government is proceeding is that normal state taxation shall continue as heretofore and be absorbed as a part of the operating expenses. There is nothing in the bill now pending before congress which in any way conflicts with this policy. We are counting on very hearty and definite co-operation from the officials of the various states and taking bodies and public service commission and we believe that while the government control continues there will be no occasion for anxiety from any quarter."

Dr. H. S. Dowell of Clearmont is in Maryville on business today.

PROTECT YOUR EYES



Give our expert optician and optometrist an opportunity to test your eyes. Delay may cause serious eye trouble.

HOLMES JEWELRY CO.
West Side Square.

Public Sale

As I have sold my farm and am moving out of the country, I will sell at the place 4 miles northeast of Burlington Junction and 4½ miles southeast of Clearmont, on

Tuesday, February 5

beginning at 10 o'clock, the following property

5 Head of Horses and Mules—Two 5-year-old mules, weight 2800 lbs, good ones; two smooth mouth mules, weight 2500 lbs; one black horse, 6 years old ,weight 1650 lbs.

90 Head of Cattle—2 good milch cows, 6 years old; 60 steers, coming 1 and 2 years old; 28 heifers coming 1 and 2 years old.

20 Head of Hogs—9 pure bred Poland-China sows, bred to pure bred Poland-China boar. Eleven stock hogs, in good shape.

1800 bushels of Yellow Dent Corn in crib; 4 or 5 tons of hay.

Implements—Gang plow, 2-row cultivator, single row cultivator, harrow, hay rake, disc, 2 wagons, hay rack, corn sheller, grind stone, 125 hedge posts. Some household furniture. One Overland touring car, model 79.

Terms—$10 and under, cash; over that amount 6 or 9 months credit, bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest.

R. P. Hosmer, Auct.
C. I. Hann, Clerk.
W. W. Jones, Lunch.

Geo. McKnight

For Quick Sale—

I have some very cheap city property and vacant lots. Well located, good terms, if taken soon. Also some five and ten acre properties close in which are bargains.

And some farms from 30 to 240 acres that can be had if taken by Feb. 10. Come and see me quick.

G. B. HOLMES, The Land Man.

YOUNG MAN! YOUNG WOMAN!

"Uncle Sam" Needs You

8,000 Stenographers, Typists ,Accountants, and General Clerks needed at once at salaries of $1,100 to $1,800 a year.

No examination required — our recommendation with other corroborative evidence of education and ability insures positions soon as qualified.

NOW is the time to begin to prepare for the thousands of openings in the business world and the more to be open in the summer and fall at good salaries.

Write or call at once for full information.

THE BUSINESS UNIVERSITY, Day and Night Schools
Hanamo phone 349.
Successor to Maryville Business College.

THE LAST OF FEBRUARY

we will hold our regular

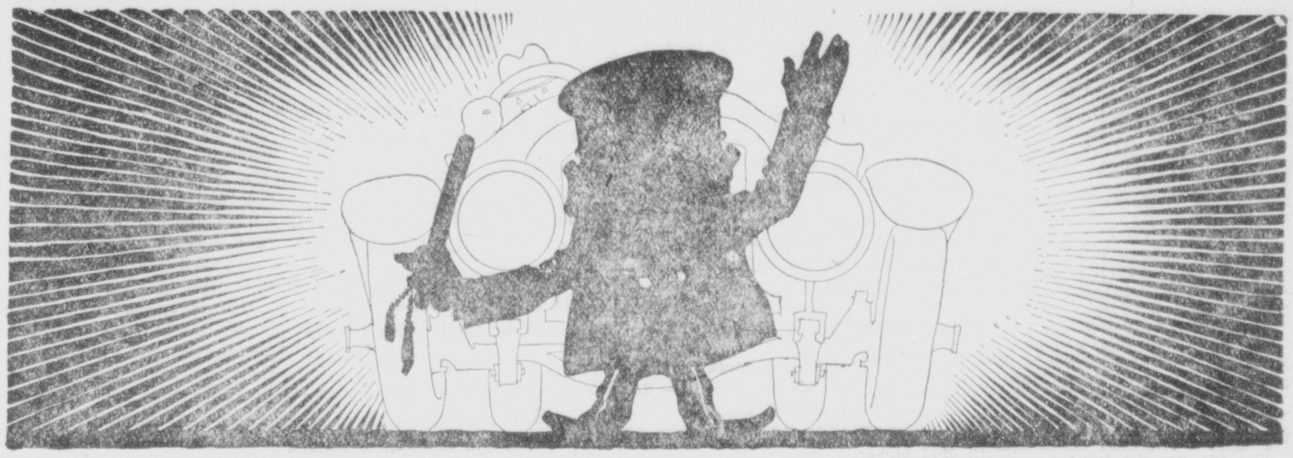
Annual White Sale

We are excellently prepared with all kinds of white goods at exceedingly low prices.

This will be our greatest and most important white sale we have ever held, from a money-saving standpoint. We have been preparing for this sale for months and months. You will certainly make no mistake by waiting.

Haines

THE STORE ACCOMMODATING.



Motorists! Obey the Law

You *must* obey the law concerning headlights or risk having your number taken. The first offense calls for a $25 fine.

By using the McKee Standard Lens you keep within the no-glare law and also get 63 per cent *more* light from your present lamp bulbs than you did before. This increased volume of intensely bright light is projected ahead 600 feet—and all of it below the 42 inch dead-line. The exclusive concave-convex shape gives a strong side-light that shows *up* ditches and banks clearly—enables you to pass cars and turn corners safely.

McKee *Standard* LENS

It is *all* glass, crystal-clear—needs no dimmers or other attachments. The scientifically accurate prisms do the work without holding back a single ray of light.

If your dealer cannot supply you, send price, size of lens and model of car direct to us.

McKEE GLASS COMPANY, Jeannette, Pa.

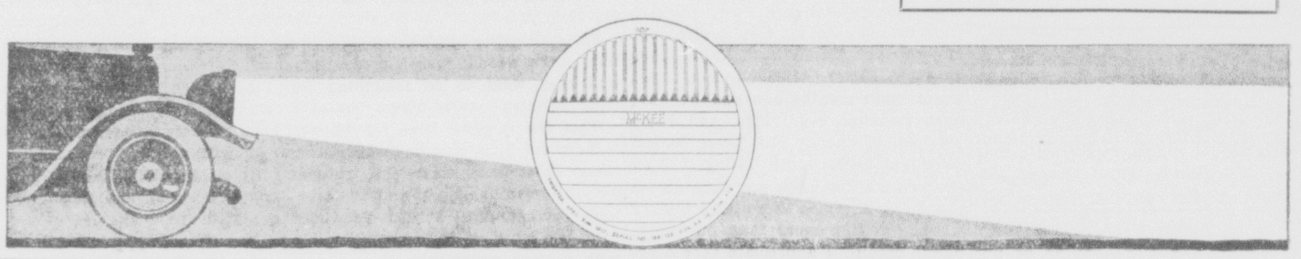
Extract from Law In Effect February 1st

Every motor vehicle . . . . during the period from a half hour after sunset to a half hour before sunrise . . . . shall carry, at the front, at least two lighted lamps not exceeding thirty-six candle power each (except that motorcycles shall carry one lighted lamp), showing white lights, visible, under normal atmospheric conditions, at least five hundred feet in the direction toward which said motor vehicle is facing, which lamp shall produce sufficient light to reveal objects one hundred and fifty feet ahead, and shall be adjusted and directed so that, on level ground, the main shaft of clear, condensed light, shall be projected straight forward, and no portion of it shall be above the level of the lamp nor more than forty-two inches above the ground. Such adjustment and direction shall be permanently maintained.

PRICES

5 in. to 8½ in. inclusive, per pair, $2.50
8¾ in. to 9½ in. inclusive, per pair, 3.00
9¾ in. to 10½ in. inclusive, per pair, 3.50
10¾ in. to 11½ in. inclusive, per pair, 4.00

At All Dealers



Society and Clubland

BY MISS LUTA MOODY
Hanamo 42. Farmers 114

C. W. B. M. to Meet.

The C. W. B. M. of the Christian church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Miller on Sout hMain street.

Will Meet Thursday Night.

The Alert Rebekah lodge No. 209 will meet at 7:30 o'clock Thursday night at the I. O. O. F. hall. A full attendance of members is desired, and especially the drill team. There will be initiation of candidates. Refreshments will be served.

Informal Luncheon.

Mrs. Anderson Craig and Mrs. C. H. Coe were hostesses at an informal 1 o'clock luncheon given today in honor of a few friends. The guests included: Mrs. Susan Helwig and daughters, Misses Orril and Katherine, Mrs. G. B. Holmes, Mrs. W. A. Burris, Mrs. George Nash and Mrs. P. O. Landon.

Shakespeare Club.

The Shakespeare Department of the Twentieth Century Club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. J. Osburn on West First street. Mrs. S. E. Davis led the meeting, and gave a review and criticism of H. G. Wells' books, "God, the Invisible King," and "The Soul of the Bishop." About twelve members and one visitor, Mrs. Harry Foster, were present.

Queen Esther Circle.

Owing to the cold weather only a few members were able to attend the meeting of the Queen Esther Circle which met at the home of Miss Faye Herndon last night. A short program was given, Miss Herndon and Miss Lucile Wright each giving short talks. After the program and business session was a social hour. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

M. I. Circle.

Mrs. F. M. Martin entertained the members of the M. I. Circle yesterday afternoon with a large number present. Mrs. Eugene Ogden led the devotions of the afternoon, and a round table discussion on "Women and the War" was held. Mrs. George Moore read a paper on the "Red Cross," and Mrs. E. B. Woodard read a paper on "Music." Mrs. Robert Lyle conducted a drill on Current Events. Mrs. W. A. Bailey acted as critic of the afternoon.

Entertain for Edward Condon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night in honor of Mrs. Garrett's brother, Edward Condon, who is home on a furlough from Fort Sill, Okla., and who leaves this evening to report for duty. Covers were laid for: Mrs. B. E. Condon and daughters, Gertrude, Mary and Ora Mae, Edward Condon, B. E. Condon, Mrs. W. T. Garrett, Mrs. Charles Airy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett and little son, Billy.

News at Hopkins

The fuel proposition has been a much discussed subject lately, both yards being out of coal, but no one has suffered, as those not able to get coal have gotten wood, the mill, churches and picture show also burning wood.

Vic Wieser and family moved to Bedford last Thursday where Mr. Wieser has a good position at the Thompson garage.

Mrs. Paul Laipple and daughters, Amy and Edna, were shopping in Maryville Friday afternoon.

Little Florence Collins is quite sick with pneumonia.

Ab Sowers, having grown tired of town life, has rented his cottage in South Hopkins to J. L. Downer and will move back to his farm near Good Hope.

A number of High School students, accompanied by Miss Taylor, went to Bedford Friday to hear a debate between Bedford and Shenandoah High Schools, debating on the same subjects in which Bedford won over our school last week. Bedford again being the victor.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church decided to have the basement of the church finished and will give a benefit dinner soon.

Mrs. Frank Burch and little son of Creston, Ia., visited at the home of Mr. Burch's mother, Mrs. D. Burch, last week.

Mrs. Kime and daughter, Cleo, spent Monday in St. Joseph.

Grover Thompson, while returning home from town Saturday night in his Ford car, ran into the buggies of Virgil Holmes and Lawrence Nicholson, knocking one horse into a ditch and damaging both vehicles. The occupants were unhurt.

The Hopkins basket ball team played a fast game of basket ball last Wednesday night with Bedford, winning with a score of 23 to 57.

GIRLS' PAINS AND WEAKNESS

Yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands of Girls Benefited

St. Louis, Mo.—"When I was only fifteen years old mother had to put me to bed every month for two days because I suffered such pain. I also suffered from a weakness and mother took me to a doctor but he did not help me. Finally mother made me take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it has made me strong and healthy. So when mother or I hear any woman complaining we tell them about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it did for me."—Mrs. JOHN FRAME, 1121 N. 18th St., St. Louis, Mo.

Girls who suffer as Mrs. Frame did should not hesitate to give this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial, as the evidence that is constantly being published proves beyond question that this grand old remedy has relieved more suffering among women than any other medicine.

For confidential advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of their forty years experience is at your service.

USE WOOD, SAVE COAL

FUEL ADM'R CROSSLEY NAMES WOOD FUEL COMMITTEE

URGES CITY WOOD YARDS

The Coal Situation Next Winter May Be So Serious as to Bar Coal to Persons Owning Wood Lands

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

St. Louis, Jan. 30. — "Burn wood, save coal."

That's the slogan of the Missouri State Fuel administration. Fuel Administrator Crossley has just appointed a wood fuel committee to encourage the substitution of wood for fuel.

County fuel administrators throughout the state today received letters from Crossley ordering the appointment of county wood fuel committee and recommending that they establish municipal wood yards.

"The coal situation next winter may be more serious than it is at present," he said, "it may even reach the point where coal will be denied to persons possessing wood lands."

He ordered that the county wood fuel committees should consist of the chairman of the county fuel administration, the county members of the State Council of Defense and the county agricultural agents.

The personnel of the newly appointed state committee follows: Atty. Gen. F. W. McAllister, C. F. Kerstian, of the Missouri Department of Agriculture, A. J. Meyer of the agricultural extension department of the state university, Frederick Dunlap of the State College of Agriculture and himself.

LETS PUT UP SOME MORE ICE

Food Administrator Says Shortage of Ammonia Will Decrease Artificial Product Next Summer

Columbia, Jan. 30.—Now comes the threat of an ice shortage.

While Missourians are shivering these days through lack of coal, State Food Administrator Mumford announces there may not be enough ice to go around this summer.

"The demands of war are rapidly exhausting the supply of ammounia," he said. "This is one of the chief ingredients in the manufacture of artificial ice and the icemakers are going to have a hard time obtaining any way near the normal amount of this drug."

People in rural districts are urged to harvest large crops of natural ice this winter.

Mrs. W. P. Farnan went to Conception today to visit with relatives.

Eyes Tested Free
Glasses Fitted
We Guarantee Satisfaction.
H. L. Raines
JEWELER OPTICIAN
110 W. 3RST JUST A STEP PAST MAIN
MARYVILLE, MO.

FOLK BACK TO RUN?

FORMER GOVERNOR RE-ENTERS MISSOURI POLITICS

MAY SEEK STONE'S JOB

Has Taken Charge of Legal Department St. Louis Chamber of Commerce—The Governor's Race

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

St. Louis, Jan. 30.—That ex-Governor Joseph W. Folk is back in Missouri politics and will run for Senator Stone's job is the intrepretation politicians here place on Folk's acceptance of the offer to take charge of the legal department of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce at $12,000 a year.

The further fact that the Councellor of the Interstate Commerce Commission made it clear that he is to fight the terminal monopoly gang is believed to mean he will use this as a club in the senatorial race.

Folk left for Washington without any hint as to his intentions. He will retain his position with the Interstate Commerce Commission for some time.

This renewed rumors today that Governor Gardner, despite repeated denials, is to be a candidate to beat Stone, with the cities' police and election bodies organized for him.

Ben Brinkman is primed as a candidate for governor as a Gardner for Senate man.

From Kansas City comes the news that young democratic lawyers there have formed a club to boost W. T. Kemper of the Southwest National Bank of Commerce, for governor.

WAR AND WOMEN

We hear much these days of what the women are doing on the battleline. How few American women are strong enough to go to the front and endure the hardships of the men?

Help is offered, and is freely given to every nervous, delicate woman, by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Remember ingredients on wrapper. No alcohol. In tablet or liquid form. All druggists. Tablets sell for 60 cents.

In "female complaint," irregularity, or weakness, and in every exhausted condition of the female system, the "Prescription" seldom fails to benefit or cure. Pains, internal inflammation and ulceration, weak back, and kindred ailments are cured by it; ask your neighbor. It's a marvelous remedy for nervous and general debility, insomnia, or sleeplessness.

Write Dr. Pierce, Pres. Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for confidential advice and you will receive the medical attention of a specialist, wholly without fee—no charge whatever. Send 10c for trial package "Favorite Prescription Tablets."

KIRKSVILLE, Mo.—"Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription I am sure saved my life. For over three years I suffered with a complication of womanly troubles. I had displacement and other trouble. There was hardly a moment I did not suffer pain and distress. I doctored and took many different remedies without help until a friend advised me to try 'Favorite Prescription.' This I did, and it helped me from the start, and it was but a short time when I was a well, healthy person."—Mrs. JAMES HEWETT, 801 Osteopathy Ave.

CONSIDER YOURSELF LUCKY

If You're Complaining of the High Cost of Living Note the Prices In Abigail Adams' Time

LET US BE THANKFUL

Are you complaining of the high cost of living?

Well, Abigail Adams complained of the same thing. Perhaps after you have read the following prices quoted from her letter to her second husband, the second president of the United States, you will count yourself lucky, however, to be living now instead of in Abigail's time.

This was Abigail's price list in 1776: Meat, $1.00 to $2.00 per lb.; corn, $25 per bu.; rye, $30 per bu.; potatoes $10 per bu.; molasses, $12 per gal.; flour, $5 per cwt.; cider, $40 per bbl.; cheese, $2 per lb.; butterine, $3 per lb.; sugar, $3 per lb.

In 1779 sugar rose to $4.00 per lb., and tea the same. In 1780 butter sold for $12 a pound and tea for $40.

Such were the prices in revolutionary times when we were only trying to carry on a war and feed OURSELVES at the same time.

Now, however, our task is greater, for we must not only fight and feed ourselves at the same time, but we must furnish most of the food for the Allies, if we are to win this war.

Yet prices today are considerably lower than those which Abigail Adams paid in 1776.

If the women in America hoard food, however, or if they are wasteful with it in their kitchens as surely as the sun rses in the east, the cost of food will soar until we shall repeat revolutionary prices.

Let us be thankful that as yet this has not happened and that by economizing and avoiding waste and by buying wisely, no more and no less than what we need at a time, we have it in our power to keep the cost of food normally low.

Italians Capture 2,000 Prisoners.

Rome, Jan. 30.—The Italian counter offensive between Brenta and the Asiago plateau was undertaken to close the gateway to Vienna to the invaders. The prisoners captured by the Italians now number two thousand.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Newcomer of Orrsburg were Maryville visitors yesterday.

JOHN GORDON

Jorn Gordon of Brooklyn, N. Y., boilermaker on board the United States destroyer Cassin, who was cited by Admiral Sims for cool behavior when the vessel was torpedoed by a German submarine.

DR. W. W. TURNER
OSTEOPATH
Treatment of bowel, liver and nervous diseases a specialty.
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Both Phones.

Public Sale

Having bought a small farm, I will sell at the J. K. Sawyer farm, 4 miles northwest of Maryville, on

Wednesday, February 6th

The following property

4 Head of Horses and Mules—One gentle family horse (smooth mouth); onesmooth mouth mare; 2 years old mare mule; 2 year old draft horse.

29 Angus Cattle—13 head of Angus cows and heifers to calve early (2 fresh now); 2 2-year-old steers; 2 yearling steers; 10 head of Angus calves; 3-year-old registered Angus bull; yearling Angus bull.

6 Thoroughbred Chester White Gilts bred to registered boar.

Feed—10 or 12 tons of baled prairie hay, 3 tons of oat straw, baled, 50 shocks of extra good corn, cut before the frost (will make good seed).

Implements, Chickens, etc.—Nearly new McCormick binder, 2 cultivators, fanning mill, harrow, end gate seeder, set harness, buggy, road wagon, spring wagon, sulky plow, hog waterer. Some household and kitchen furniture; 3 or 4 dozen Plymouth Rock hens, and a few good cockerels, and other things too numerous to mention.

Lunch by ladies of Lasher Red Cross auxiliary.

Terms—$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

Jos. Jackson, Clerk.
R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

T. M. C. Neff

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good list of prime real estate mortgage loans for disposal, in amounts to suit investors. See us for terms. Over Nodaway Valley Bank. The Sisson Loan & Title Co. 21tf

FOR SALE—A few barrels choic Jonathan apples, sold by the barre only. J. W. Ray, Hanamo phone 5222 15-tf

FOR SALE—Lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 Hastings addition to Maryville, only $1,200. E. F. Hackman, 3436 Chestnut Ave., Kansas City, Mo. 18-31*

FOR SALE—Good seed oats, 80c a bu. See Ed Belcher, Route 5. 29-31*

FOR SALE—Vacuum carpet cleaner, in good condition. 301 E. Third. Hanamo 3527. 29-31

FOR SALE — 16 head pure bred Shorthorn cattle, 7 males, 9 females J. E. Clymens, 4½ miles west, 1 mil south Hopkins. Mutual phone 1-13. 19-30

FOR SALE—100 bushels No. 1 seed corn, Reid's Improved Yellow Dent and White Cap, limited time at $5.00 per bushel. Both phones. See samples at Wallace Bros. office. 26-tf

FOR SALE — One extra good fresh Jersey cow, with calf. W. E. Jones. Hanamo No. 76. 28-30*

FOR SALE—Brand new Universal tractor. Call Vernon Henson, Ravenwood. 30-5*

MISCELLANEOUS

FOUND — Black leather handbag lined with purple, with initial E. Inquire Democrat-Forum office. 29-31

FOUND—Crank off Ford car. Owner can have same by calling at this office 29-31

PLUMBING—We make a specialt of installing modern plumbing in ol houses and remodeling old plumbing estimates free. Standard Plumbin Co., Hanamo 46.

LIMITED AMOUNT improved Reid's Yellow Dent field selected, rock dried seed corn, extra quality. Guaranteed germination, test 96%, sold in ear Phone or write G. R. Lager, Clyde, Mo. 29-7*

FOR RENT—85 acres 3 miles northwest of Parnell. Will take $200 or half. Mrs. Judy. 30-1*

WANTED

WANTED — Two girls at once Maryville Laundry. Hanamo 700. 14-tf

WANTED — To rent, about 6 room house close in, water and lights. Inquire at Democrat-Forum.

WANTED — The Democrat-Forum wants live correspondents at Barnard Burlington Junction, Skidmore, Guilford, Clearmont and Clyde. Write fo information. The Democrat-Forum. tf

WANTED — Home for industrious young man to work nights, mornings and Saturdays and earn board whil taking business course. Call Business University. 25-31

WANTED—Nurse for young baby few hours each day. Phone 349. 29-31

WANTED—Driver at Moberly's Jitney Station. Call Hanamo 23. 28-30*

WANTED—Girl to help with housework from 8 a. m. to 1:30 p. m. Mrs. Jesse Miller, 510 West First street. 29-31*

WANTED — Men to clear about 5 acres of timber for the wood 4 miles from town. See E. F. Wolfert. 30-1

When not to Eat Wheat.

From the new food card to be distributed by the U. S. Food Administration.

Wheatless days—Monday and Wednesday. One wheatless meal every day.

Meatless days—Tuesday. One meatless meal every day.

Porkless days—Tuesday and Saturday.

Make every day a fat saving day.

Make every day a sugar saving day.

Use fruits, vegetables and potatoes abundantly.

Use milk widely.

Do not hoard food.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Market Future

Kansas City, Jan. 30.—CORN—December, off; May, $1.26.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, Jan. 30.—CATTLE—Receipts 15,000; steers, $10.00 @ $13.50; cows, $6.00@$13.00.

HOGS—Receipts 16,000; top, $16.15; bulk, $15.90@$16.10.

Chicago Live Stock

Chicago, Jan. 30. — CATTLE — Receipts 7,000; market 15 higher.

HOGS—Receipts 15,000; market, 10 @15 higher.

St Joseph Live Stock

St. Joseph, Jan. 30.—CATTLE—Receipts 500; market steady.

HOGS — Receipts 15,000; market steady; top, $16.00.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Springs, per lb	18c
Hens, per lb.	21c
Ducks, per lb	14c
Geese, per lb	14c
Old Roosters, per lb	10c
Hides, per lb.	10
Eggs, per doz.	45
Cream, per lb.	50c

Soldier's Letters

APPRECIATES SWEATER

Miss Anderson Gets Letter of Acknowledgment from John Crites

Miss Bertha Anderson, who sent a sweater and wristlets to a soldier at Tacoma, Wash., in answer to an appeal made through the publicity chairman of the Red Cross in behalf of this soldier, has received the following letter in acknowledgment of her gift:

"Dear Friend: — I received the sweater and wristlets O. K. Many, many thanks for them. I am sure I could appreciate nothing more than that nice sweater just now, although it is not so cold here as in the east. It seems you got my name and address through Elmer Allen. I met Allen about eight months ago and we have been together ever since, and I am sure he is one of the finest boys I have met in the army. When I think of the beautiful work you dear people are doing at home sometimes I think we are getting more than our share of the credit. I appreciate very highly everything I receive and I feel that we should all be proud of the interest the mothers and sisters are taking in the welfare of the soldiers. My dear unknown friend, I must close, hoping that the time is not far distant when we will all be home again with our work done.

"JOHN CRITES.

"U. S. Aid Station, Tacoma, Wash."

Miss Charlotta Kroetch of Canada arrived in Maryville Sunday to visit her sister, Mrs. August Stapler.

Legal Witticisms.

Stories from the law courts are apt to be good, legal wit being noted for its dryness. But this story claims no particular merit, except as showing the usefulness of a ready wit, observes the Christian Science Monitor. The counsel for the plaintiff was delivering an impassioned address. He was somewhat weighty in person, and happened to be leaning on a very old chair. In the middle of the torrent of eloquence, the chair gave way and the barrister lay on the floor in the midst of the wreckage. He got up and, unperturbed, pointing to the broken chair, said: "That proves the strength of my argument." The court smiled broadly, but laughed outright when the opposing counsel promptly replied: "The learned counsel's argument may be all that he claims for it, but it fell to the ground."

Pitying Ourselves.

Have you heard of the man carrying a load of sticks, who, when he became tired threw his sticks down on the bank of a river, and seating himself by them, said: "I am sick and tired of this. I wish death would come to relieve me?" Instantly Death slipped up and said, "Here I am, what do you want of me?" "I want you to help me put this bundle of sticks on my back again," said the surprised man. Pitying ourselves is cheating ourselves. Then flee from discontent and discouragement, for they are the hotbeds of deceit. Near them we think that which is not true, and say that which we do not mean.—Exchange.

Smallest Farms in the World.

On the islands of Re and Oleron, near La Rochelle, France, according to Popular Science Monthly, are found the smallest farms in the world. Some of them are only one or two square yards in area, yet these tiny domains are carefully planted with a variety of crops, even including vineyards. The soil is extremely fertile. The repeated subdivision of estates among heirs and the dense population of the islands explain the existence of these Lilliputian properties.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

EVERY MAN NEEDED

A CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS FOR PUBLIC SERVICE RESERVE

GOOD WAGES IS ASSURED

Here's An Opportunity for Men Who Would Help, Not Content to be Bystanders, to Aid In Winning War

The United States is calling men—able-bodied men of all ages—who want to help win the war, to register for service in the Public Service Reserve. It needs them for employment in civilian capacity, either for the government or for employers on government war contracts.

The Public Service Reserve puts the record of their readiness to serve and of their capacities for service on the official government files, where it is available for all branches of the government concerned with the war. It carefully indexes them, according to their qualifications, so that they may be located at once when men of their abilities are needed.

Acceptance of a call to service is purely voluntary and applications for membership may be had of F. P. Robinson.

The Public Service Reserve is intended:

For all men who want to work to help win the war.

For men who are not content to be bystanders, but want to play their part in saving the world from the rule of brute force.

For men who are ashamed to go on to the end of the war working just for themselves, while their neighbors go to the front to give their all—their lives, if need be—four our country.

For men who are ready, when the call comes, to give up jobs which are not vitally important in war times and take jobs where their country needs them and where they can count for victory.

For men whose patriotism is more than mere words; whose professions, that they want to do something for their country, really mean business.

What the Reserve Does for Them.

It gives them the assurance that they have done their full present duty by enrolling on the official register so that, until needed elsewhere, they can work at their present tasks with a good conscience.

It gives them (at a cost of 25 cents), if they want it, a certificate and a bronze button as an official recognition that they are enrolled among those who stand ready to serve their country where their country needs them.

Why the Reserve Is Needed.

Because millions of Americans must engage in industries essential to war or our country cannot win.

Because our country needs ever-increasing numbers of men to build ships and airplanes, to make munitions and equipment for our soldiers and sailors, to construct and man lines of communication from all over the United States right up to the front lines in France.

Because, to get men promptly when needed, the government must know in advance who are available and where they are; must have a great volunteer reserve of men who stand ready to work, for good wages and under reasonable conditions, in the industries essential to war.

Because the boys who face the machine guns and shells at the front need the inspiration and support of a great organized reserve at home of men eager to back them to the limit and to furnish them with everything they need to insure their safety and their efficiency as a fighting force.

What the Reserve Will Do for the Government

For the army, for the navy, for the shipping board, for contractors making arms, equipment, ships, airplanes, and everything necessary for war, the Reserve will furnish a great reservoir of the nation's man power which can be drawn on at need, so that every demand for men can be met with a minimum of difficulty and delay.

For our president, the commander-in-chief of our army and navy, the leader who is driving our great war engine to victory it will help fulfill his vision of a whole nation organized for war.

For its members who work for their country it will lift their labor from the drudgery of mere wage earning to the plane of patriotic service where it belongs.

What the Reserve Will Do for "Unessential Industries"

It will consider their interests and give them a hearing, so far as possible, in every call it makes for men.

It will apportion its calls for men among localities, industries, and employers so as to distribute as fairly as possible the drain which war must make on industry.

It will endeavor, in every way it can, to meet the country's need without seriously crippling any industry.

It will not call on members usefully employed in industry so long as any men who are unemployed and qualified are available.

How the Reserve Is Organized.

By the United States government as a bureau of the department of labor. There is a national director at Washington and a state director in every state. All of them are federal officers, responsible to the secretary of labor. There should be an enrollment agent in every community.

How the Reserve Operates.

In close co-operation with the United States Emergency Employment Service; both under the department of labor; in most states both conducted by the same officials.

The employment service deals with the unemployed. It will help any man who is out of a job to find one. It will help any employer needing men to find them.

The Public Service Reserve deals chiefly with those who are contently employed but willing to change when their country calls. It notifies its members only when the government, or an employer working on government contracts, wants men.

The request of an employer for men goes first to the employment service, that men out of jobs may get the first chance if they are competent. The employment service, as soon as its lists are exhausted, calls on the Reserve.

The Kind of Men Needed.

All classes are joining the Reserve; professional men, engineers, artisans, laborers of all kinds. The Reserve welcomes every patriotic citizen who wishes to serve, whatever his qualifications. It is a democratic organization in which all classes meet in a common devotion to our country.

Men especially needed are mechanics, artisans, skilled laborers of all kinds, men who can work with tools. There is great need for such men now. Every available man of this sort must be enrolled promptly or our country's war work will be retarded.

Only men who are really ready and able to respond when an opportunity for service comes should enroll. The Reserve does not want to be swamped with records of men who are merely expressing patriotism but who, when it comes down to business, are not going to be able to work where they may be needed.

Men of draft age are not wanted if likely to be called soon. Enrollment in the Reserve is no ground for exemption.

Acceptance of Call for Service Purely Voluntary.

Most of the positions offered to Reserve members will be well compensated. Only occasionally does some branch of the government want unpaid helpers.

No obligation exists to respond to a call when it comes; the Reserve merely presents the opportunity; trusting to the judgment and patriotism of its members to lead them to accept, if they should accept in view of all the circumstances and of their country's need.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.
U. S. Public Service Reserve, 1712 I Street, Washington, D. C.

Note—Applications for membership may be had from F. P. Robinson, Maryville, Mo.

Catarrh is a Real Enemy and Requires Vigorous Treatment

Do Not Neglect It.

When you use medicated sprays, atomizers and douches for your Catarrh, you may succeed in unstopping the choked-up air passages for the time being, but this annoying condition returns, and you have to do the same thing over and over again.

Catarrh has never yet been cured by these local applications. Have you ever experienced any real benefit from such treatment?

Throw these makeshift remedies to the winds, and get on the right treatment. Go to your drug store to-day, get a bottle of S. S. S., and commence a treatment that has been praised by sufferers for nearly half a century.

S. S. S. gets right at the source of Catarrh, and forces from the blood the germs which cause the disease. You can obtain special medical advice regarding your own case without charge by writing to Medical Director, 22 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

We Collect Rents

How would you like to have the Farmers Trust Co. collect your rents, draw up your leases, and attend to all the annoying things that you now have to do, if you have property to rent?

If you permit us to do this for you, we will do it carefully, legally, and you will have no misunderstandings or complications with your tenants.

The rents will be collected promptly, and credited to your account immediately.

When a store room or residence is vacated, we will do our best to secure you a new tenant.

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Gaynor Happenings.

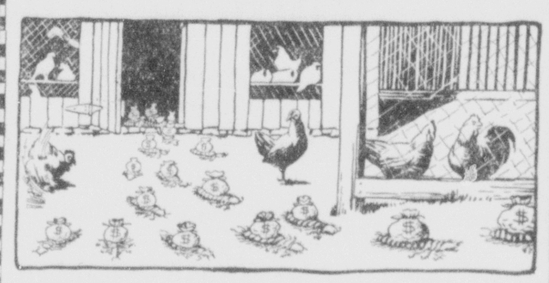
Ed Owens shipped hogs to St. Joseph last week. Mrs. Owens also went down, returning Thursday.

The Independence Red Cross auxiliary served lunch at the Henry Thompson sale Wednesday. There were two cakes sold at auction, one bringing $4.50 and the other $4.25. Also a hen bringing $6.25. The ladies took in over $41. This auxiliary has done well for the short time it has been organized, having sent to Hopkins eleven hospital shirts, one sweater and 106 other articles, and are planning to commence the surgical dressings work Thursday of this week.

John Galbraith, who is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Caudle, is recovering from an attack of the measles.

The new minister of the Christian church came down from Des Moines Saturday and delivered his first sermon Sunday morning.

The Lice are Getting your Profits



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Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today.

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NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
A Bank of Savings Maryville, Mo.

Closing Out Sale

I will sell at my farm, known as the Carr farm, 1 mile west and one-half mile south of Arkoe, on

Friday, February 1

at 10 o'clock, the following described property:

14 Head of Horses—1 mare 9 years old, bred to jack; one brown mare, weight 1500, coming 5 years old; 1 gray mare, 8 years old, weight 1600 lbs; one black mare 9 years old, weight 1550, safe in foal; one smooth mouth roan mare; one smooth mouth brown mare; one roan gelding coming 3 years old; one black saddle mare coming 3 years old; one black coming 2 years old; one black gelding coming 2 years old; 2 gray geldings coming 2 years old; 1 horse colt coming year old; 1 mare col coming year old.

19 Head of Cattle—Seven milch cows, three with calves by side; 12 good spring calves.

18 Head of Hogs—Twelve brood sows, bred; six head of good shoats.

61 Head of Ewes and one Buck.

Grain—200 bushels of corn; 3 ton of straw.

Implements—Low wheel wagon, hay rack, buggy, new Schuttler wagon, new Moline truck wagon, one good a new Osborn 8-foot disc ,one John Deere corn planter, 100 rods of wire, one good harrow, one new Janesville sulky plow, one good Sattley walking plow, one Pattee walking cultivator, one new Moline riding cultivator, one new Emerson riding cultivator, one John Deere lower surface cultivator, one new Moline lister, one grind stone. HARNESS—3 sets of good work harness.

Terms—All sums under $10, cash; over that amount 3, 6 and 9 months time at 8 per cent interest.

Lunch by the ladies of Arkoe Christian church.

R .P. Hosmer, Auct.
J .T. Goff, Clerk.

M. B. Linscott

Hosmer's Monthly Stock Sale

GRAY'S SALE PAVILION

Saturday, February 2, 1918

Open for the sale of Everybody's Horses, Mules, Cattle, Hogs and Sheep. What do you want to sell? List it now.

R. P. Hosmer, "The Auctioneer"